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To:

All Supervisors, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

From:

Joe Magats, Deputy Chief, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

Re:

Chicago Police Officer Vincent Escamilla, Star# 16095, 19th District

Date:

April 18, 2016

Cc:

Dan Kirk, First Assistant

Walt Hehner, Chief Deputy

Garvin Ambrose, Chief of Staff

Fabio Valentini, Chief, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau

Mike Golden, Chief, Special Prosecutions Bureau

Tisa Morris, Chief, Juvenile Justice Bureau

Brian Sexton, Chief, Narcotics Prosecutions Bureau

Don Pechous, Acting Chief, Civil Actions Bureau

This is an update the December 14, 2015 memo regarding Chicago Police Officer Vincent Escamilla, Star# 16095, 19th District. Officer Escamilla was found guilty of Leaving the Scene of a Property Damage Accident under Case No. YB580455 and was placed on four months court supervision. The fact that Officer Escamilla is currently on court supervision should be disclosed to the defense prior to trial as that fact would be relevant to any motive, interest or bias he may have in testifying as a witness for the State.

If you or the assistants that you supervise have a case where Officer Escamilla is a witness and you determine that he is a necessary witness who needs to be called in the case, and, at the time of his testimony Officer Escamilla is still on court supervision, please file and tender to the defense the

attached Notice of Disclosure prior to trial. None of the ASAs that you supervise are to file the notice without your prior knowledge and approval. An electronic copy of the Notice of Disclosure will be sent to you.

If you or your ASAs have any questions, please call me. Thank you.

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COUNTY () SS. OF COOK)			
			OF COOK COUNTY RIMINAL DIVISION	
PEOPLE O	F THE STATE OF ILLI	NOIS)		
	VS)	Case No.	
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	NOTICE OF DISC	LOSURE TO	O THE DEFENDANT	
State's Atto			llinois by their attorney Anita Alvard h her assistants / and / hereby disclose	
1.	That on April 18, 2016, Chicago Police Officer Vincent Escamilla, Star #16095, was found guilty of Leaving the Scene of a Property Damage Accident and was placed on four months court supervision.			
2.	That Officer Escamilla will be called to testify as a witness for the prosecution in the above-captioned case.			
3.	That no promises of leniency or promises of any nature have been made to Officer Escamilla regarding his pending case in return for his testimony in the above-captioned case.			
4.			Officer Escamilla regarding his course in the above-captioned case.	art
		Respectfully	submitted,	
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	By:			
		Assistant Sta	ate's Attorney	

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